

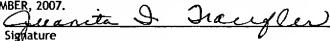
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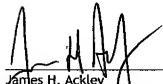
— Applicant hereby petitions for a   -month extension of time. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

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